# TECHNICAL TEXTILES IN SPAIN





### TEXTILE INDUSTRY IN SPAIN



3.799

Textile Companies in Spain



47.081

Direct job positions



5.796 M€

Total turnover



4.441 M€

**Imports** 



4.306 M€

**Exports** 

2019 data. Source: INE



### **TEXTILE INDUSTRY IN SPAIN: COVID-19 IMPACT**



-23,1%

Industrial production



-2,78%

**Job positions** 



-18,9%

Total turnover



+29%

**Imports** 



-23,5%

**Exports** 

January-June 2020 / January-June 2019 Source: CITYC



### TECHNICAL TEXTILE SECTOR IN SPAIN









500

**75%** 

40%

850 M€

1.015 M€

Technical textiles companies in Spain

Located in Catalonia
and Comunitat
Valenciana

Technical textiles exclusive production

**Imports** 

**Exports** 

TT SECTOR GENERATES: 3.100 M€ TURNOVER IN SPAIN

2019 data. Source: CITYC



## TECHNICAL TEXTILES FOR SANITARY USE: AN OPPORTUNITY IN THE COVID-19 ERA

According to a TEXFOR survey of 126 companies sample:



55%

Started a new production of face masks



45%

Started a new production of other sanitary products such us lab coats, gloves...



70%

Find certifications
difficult to get and
therefore a weakness



## WAYS TO FINANCE TECHNICAL TEXTILES PRODUCTION FOR SPANISH COMPANIES



#### **OBJECTIVE OF THIS PROJECT?**

To boost smart textiles innovation in Europe with a specific focus on developing a full smart textiles manufacturing value chain in Europe to help drive promising prototypes faster to market.

#### **HOW MUCH?**

During the 3 year programme there will be 3 calls launched for funding up to 40 individual projects with a total budget of €2.4 million



### WAYS TO FINANCE TECHNICAL TEXTILES PRODUCTION FOR SPANISH COMPANIES









#### **OBJECTIVE OF THIS PROJECT?**

To implement 4 Cross-Border Cooperation (CBC) Initiatives in priority areas for the T/C industry, i.e. Internationalization; Innovation and Circular Economy. These Initiatives have been designed to help enterprises to:

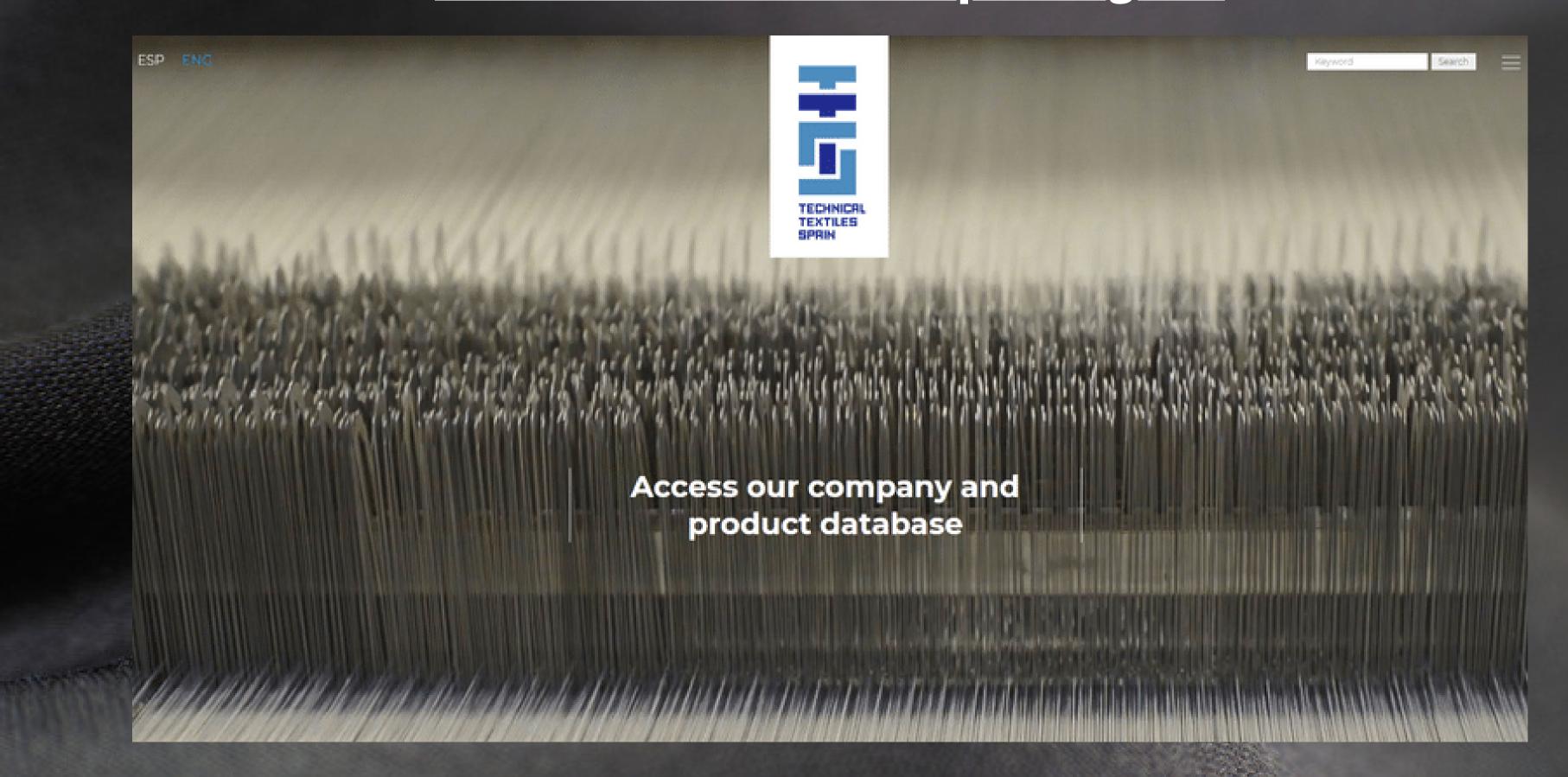
- recover from the current negative situation created by Covid-19
  - grasp new opportunities originating from the pandemic

#### **HOW MUCH?**

Up to 10.000€ per company. The call for companies closes the next December 7th.

# TECHNICAL TEXTILES FROM SPAIN: www.technicaltextiles-spain.org/en/





# THANKS FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

Do not hesitate to contact us for further information:

Luz Villalta - luz@texfor.es

